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The period for response to the final rejection was set to expire on 17 October 2003. This period has not been extended.

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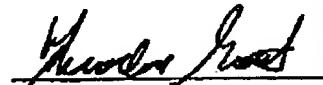
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